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Docket: 0756-1653

Date: March 17, 1997

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR FILE WRAPPER CONTINUING APPLICATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.62

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Box FWC
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for filing a

[X] Continuation [] Divisional

under 37 CFR 1.62 of prior pending application

Serial No. 08/350,168

Art Unit: 2515

Filed: November 30, 1994

Examiner: T. Nguyen

Entitled: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING
THE SAME

by the following named inventors:

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The above identified prior application in which no payment of the issue fee, abandonment of, or termination of proceedings has occurred, is hereby expressly abandoned as of the filing date of this new application. Please use all the contents of the prior application file wrapper, including the drawings, as the basic papers for the new application. (Note: 37 CFR 1.60 may be used for applications where the prior application is not to be abandoned.)

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1. ☒ To the best of information and belief, the current correspondence address of the inventors is as set forth in the attachment to this report.
2. ☒ Enter the amendment previously filed in the prior application on December 19, 1996 under 37 CFR 1.116, but unentered.
3. ☐ A preliminary amendment is attached.
4. The filing fee is calculated on the basis of the claims existing in the prior application as amended at 2 and 3 above.

For:	No. Filed		No. Extra	Rate Sm/Lg Entity	Fee
Basic Fee				\$385/770	\$770.00
Total Claims	24	- 20	4	x 11/22	\$88.00
Independent Claims	7	- 3	4	x 40/80	\$320.00
First presentation of multiple dependent claims \$130/260					
Total					\$1,178.00

5. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line, the sentence:
--This application is a Continuation of Serial No. 08/350,168, filed November 30, 1994, now abandoned.--
6. ☒ A check in the amount of \$1,178.00 is enclosed.
7. ☐ The small entity status established in the parent application continues to be applicable and such small entity status is hereby requested for the present application.

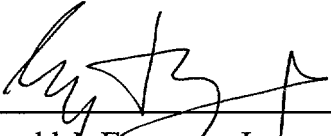
8. [X] Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on foreign application(s)
No.(s) 5-339588
Filed in (country) Japan
On (date): December 3, 1993
[] Certified copy (copies) attached.
[X] Certified copy (copies) filed on November 30, 1994 in prior
United States Serial No. 08/350,168 filed on November 30,
1994.
9. [X] The prior application is assigned of record to Semiconductor Energy
Laboratory Co., Ltd..
10. [X] The power of attorney in the prior application is to:
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12. [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR
1.16 and 1.17 (except the issue fee) which may be required now or
hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2380.
A duplicate of this form is attached.
13. [X] It is hereby petitioned under 37 CFR 1.136 that the response term
in the prior pending application be extended, if necessary, to a date
which includes the filing date of the present application, and the
Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any necessary extension
fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2380. The prior pending application
is hereby expressly abandoned upon the award of a filing date to this
application.

14. [X] Also enclosed:
Names and Address of Inventors

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